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Forest Fires Still Raging Throughout Northern Alberta

Smoke From District Blazes Blacks-Out East Cities As Fires Worst In History

Raging forest fires throughout Northern Alberta, in points stretching north from Smoky Lake, Thorhild, Redwater, Boyle, Lac la Biche and McMurray, are burning thousands of feet of timber and menacing farm homes throughout the area.

Meanwhile, smoke from district fires rose in a cloud, spread over the prairies, and swept down on eastern Canadian and U.S. cities, reducing visibility to almost nothing, and causing near-panic in some cities.

A Cleveland radio station reported that "Canada was on fire."

About 30 fires have been burning in the area, and hundreds of men, equipped with bulldozers and other fire-fighting equipment, have been combating the blazes.

Light rains over scattered sections this week eased the threat somewhat, after J. L. Jansen, Alberta timber inspector, has termed the situation "explosive."

Situation became that way as the province last week went through an unseasonable 79-degree sizzling heat wave.

Some of the fires were burning through old burns, but others were laying waste new stands of timber, according to reports.

Visibility has been down to one-eighth of a mile at Lac la Biche, as the fight continues against three fires in the immediate district.

At Newbrook, 80 miles north of Edmonton, residents continue to stand guard against a massive muskeg fire, for fear the wind will start a rampage such as occurred last week when the hamlet was threatened.

There are so many fires that forestry officials report they have no information on the actual extent of the blazes.

Truck Plunges Off Road Near Grassland

Saturday inght truck owned by Nick Semenchuk and driven by Mike Missa, left the road a mile north of Donatville, plunging into a ravine. Steve Luchka, a passenger, sufered painful facial injuries, necessitating treatment by Miss Ries, district nurse at Grassland. Both the driver and Eddie Semenko, also in the cab at the time received a severe shaking up. D. S. Semenchuk, who had stopped his car by the side of the road to fix a tire, was a witness to the accident.

Ground fire burning in the muskeg a mile south west of the hamlet last week suddenly blazed up causing some alarm among inhabitants. Prompt work by George Kokatilo and his bull-dozer laid bare a substantial fire-guard and everyone may now sleep safely in their beds.

Bus Driver Takes Busman's Holiday

LAC LA BICHE.— This bus driver won't be fired for falling to sleep while cruising along the highways for the next two weeks. He's getting a two week's vacation and, yes—you guessed it—he's taking a trip by bus!

Stan Dacyk, who figures he travels 55,000 miles a year on the Edmonton-Lac la Biche Canadian Coachways runs, has in the past six years done the equivalent of 13 'round-the-world trips at the equator. He now runs to Lac la Biche, by way of Clyde, Colington and Boyle three days a week, returning to Edmonton the opposite days in the week.

But this time Stan isn't going to board the bus labelled "Lac la Biche." His bus will be bound for San Francisco, where he's going with his brother John to visit their three sisters and two brothers who live at the northern Californian metropolis.

On the return trip they will travel via New Westminster and Vancouver and will visit friends at these B.C. cities. Stan expects to be back on the Lac la Biche run by October 15th. He won't have travelled anymore miles than he normally does in the same period of time, but he'll have gone further.

Mrs. Dacyk and children Vivian, Cecil and Alvin will not be able to accompany father Stan because of school.

With the Churches

THE UNITED CHURCH of CANADA

Sunday, October 1st.

LAC LA BICHE

Sunday School ..... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship .... 7:30 p.m.

Come and bow in worship before the Lord your maker.

Communty Mourns Loss Of G. Anderson

LAC LA BICHE.— The community here mourns the loss of Mr. George Anderson who has been resident of this community for the last few years. He is also deeply mourned by the residents of Brierville where he had his home for so many years. He will be missed in both his church and his community:

LEGION CHIEF IN LA BICHE

LAC LA BICHE.— George Gleave, MM, Provincial President of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L. will address a zone rally of the district in Lac la Biche at the Legion clubrooms on Thursday evening, September 28 commencing at 8:30 p.m. This is the first time a provincial president has visited this district and this visit is all the more opportune coming so close to the recent Dominion convention of Winnipeg. It is hoped that a large attendance will be on hand to welcome Comrade Gleave and representatives from Boyle, Colington, Athabasca and Smith have been invited to attend.

Three New Members At Lac la Biche WI

LAC LA BICHE.— The regular W I meeting was held in the Dr. Swift school at which three new members were welcomed.

The library reported that beginning October 1 membership fee will be raised to adult, $1.00; children, 50 cents per six month period.

The non-circulating books are to be donated to the newly-formed WI library at Boyle.

The bingo commitee added $50 to the WI funds. Watch for posters for next WI bingo.

Plans for a tag day in aid of the blind are pending further inforamtion. Instructors in the Hobby club are meeting at the home of Mrs. Kelly to form groups, etc. WI members who are interested in joining the bowling league please send in your name or attend the meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Proctor September 26.

The meeting closed with a report on the Abee conference by our delegate, Mrs. H. Gimby.

Redwaterite Arrives To Teach School In McMurray

McMURRAY.—Mrs. Mary Arrol of Redwater has arrived here to teach school. She is the wife of Ed Arrol, publisher of the Redwater News.

DISTRICT SISTERS WIN DREAM TRIP IN CITY QUEEN FOR A DAY CONTEST

Two sisters in the Lac la Biche district, Mrs. Ira McKenzie of Grassland and Mrs. Lloyd Dakin of Atmore, were crowned 'Queen for a Day' on two successive days at the Better Homes Exposition in Edmonton last week.

According to reports, the 'Queens' are entitled to an all-expense trip to Hollywood.

Four other queens were also chosen.

Names of the two sisters were picked from a barrel containing hundreds of entries, and is one of the most interesting coincidents on record.

The two sisters are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Hurtubise of Grassland.

It is not clear yet whether the trips are actually all-expense trips, or whether the Queens will have to pay for part of them.

Mrs. Dakin told this newspaper that the all-expense tour has been misrepresented, as the only allowance made to the Queens are for a $105.00 bus ticket.

This neswpaper is investigating the contest, and full details will be revealed next week.

Back to the Little Red School House



Alberta school children are now completing their first month of this year's school term. With holidays just a memory, what's doing in the little red school house? Judging by this photo, the same things are going on that were in style 20 years ago.

CHURCH UNION COMMEMORATES IN SPECIAL EVENT BY LADIES' AID

LAC LA BICHE. — Lac la Biche United Church Ladies' Aid held a Silver Anniversary Tea recently to commemorate the 25th anniversary of church union which resulted in the formation of the United Church of Canada.

Mrs. H. Cramer and Mrs. T. B. Lett poured tea. The tables were decorated with various colors of sweet peas, and the room was further decorated with a brilliant bouquet of Mrs. Lett's gladiola.

The tea was held at the United church manse from three in the afternoon to seven in the evening.

The tables were kept busy from the early afternoon to the close in the evening. Sincere thanks go to the ladies who both worked in the kitchen and serving at the tables.

Mrs. H. Gimbey, the president of the church group acted as official hostess throughout the afternoon.

The hope was expressed that this the 25th anniversary would mark a new beginning in the life of the church as a whole with concentration to its task as a leader in World-wide evangelism and in carrying out its mission to spread the message of salvation to all corners of the earth. This is to be marked by personal dedication to the furthering of the work of Christ by its members. The eyes of all in this day and age are drawn to the future and not the past.

Mrs. M. Greenough returned to her home in Vancouver, after visiting her son Douglas Greenough, United minister for the past week.

Mr. M. Maccagon, police magistrate was a business visitor last week.

Mrs. F. Lewis had the misfortune to crack the bone in her left arm while trying to crank her car with her left hand.

Mr. Daniel Beaudry returned home for a holiday after working for the oil company at Bear Lake.

Miss D. Lloyd of the meteorological office has been transferred to Coronation.

Mr. Hall and Mr. Chester were in the city on business.

The twins of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ray are doing nicely in St. Catherine's hospital, Betty Ann weighing five pounds, 12 ounces; Brenda Jane, four pounds, 12 ounces.

Mr. A. Jones was home for a few days visiting relatives and friends.

Glen Lett went to attend university for his third year.

Miss Leola Schirrmacher went to Edmonton to attend normal.

Mr .and Mrs. Geo. Benson from B.C. are visiting Mrs. Benson's parents Mr .and Mrs. Chester.

Miss Mary Watson visited her father Mr. J. Watson for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Marat from Wetaskiwin were guests at the Brinsmead home.

SPRUCE VALLEY NEWS BRIEFS

SPRUCE VALLEY,— Mr. Walter Shewdo has got a new Pontiac car.

Miss Iris Duban is, at present, missing a number of days of school. At time of writing she is in the Lac la Biche hospital.

On Friday, September 15, the Spruce Valley school was closed. The teacher, Mrs. A. E. Zilinski, had to go to Edmonton to see the dentist.

At time of writing, most of the farmers have started threshing, while most of the farmers have finished combining their grain.

Royal Highland Gathering



Braemer Highland gathering is one of the major events in the Scottish sporting calendar, attracting visitors from far afield. The Royal Family attended the event last week. Here a husky Scot is seen throng the hammer, making a striking picture as he hurls the 22-lb. missile 94 feet.

EYESIGHT SURVEY IN M'MURRAY SAID TO SHOW ASTOUNDING FAULTS

An Edmonton optometrist, D. E. Matheson,, is back in the capital city after a four-day survey of school students' eyesight in McMurray and Waterways. Survey was the first of its kind in Alberta.

The survey showed astounding faults among students' vision, says Dr. Matheson.

Of 210 pupils tested, he found more than a dozen who were using only one eye. Some had such weak vision they could not see the large E on the chart; there were many cases of myopia (near-sightedness)and three cases of strabismus (cross-eye) were noted.

Using a unique "screening" instrument, with results checked by a retinascope, Mr. Mathieson made 20 tests on each of the 210 boys and girls in the public schools of McMurray and Waterways and the separate school in McMurray.

He did about 60 pupils a day. Ordinary methods would have taken about half an hour for each person.

The optometrist did the job at the request of the northern school boards. The trustees felt that if he found one student with visual defects that caused him to have difficulty in school the survey would be worthwhile.

Mr. Mathieson expects to have all his data assembled and a report ready within three weeks.

"School boards and teachers are realizing more and more the value of visual surveys," he said. "Subnormal vision means that the pupil has to work harder to keep up with the class and the teacher has to take more time with a student that has poor eyesight."

Gives Demonstration At Egg Lake Recently

EGG LAKE.— On September 15, Mrs. E. Humford, agent for the wearever brushes and cleaning powder came to Mrs. L. L'Heureux's to give a demonstration of her products. There were 18 women present and about 12 men. An interesting evening was enjoyed by all. The men sat in the store and chatted while Mrs. Humford gave the demonstration to the women and amused everybody with games. Mrs. W. Tardif won one prize, Miss Helen Dakin another, and Mrs. L. Amiot won the entry prize. Mrs. L'Heureux served a delicious lunch.

Miss Jeanne Girard works at Ernest Pare's and Miss Alice Girard has gone to Amesbury to wor kfor Mrs. Phillipe Cyr.

Mrs. Armand Richard and two children are spending a few days at her mother's, Mrs. Adrien Amiot.

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M'MURRAY NEWS TOPICS

Mrs. T. Cook of McMurray left last week for Edmonton.

Misses Betty and Opal Hidgden left last week to live in Edmonton.

Mrs. E. Gall is spending two weeks in Edmonton.

Corporal J. W. MacGregor returned to McMurray after a business trip to Red Deer.

Miss Sarah Newsom is visiting her mother in McMurray.

Mr. Wm. Birch of Nicholson Mines spent a few days in McMurray, en route from Toronto to Goldfields.

Road Gang At Work Near Briereville

The Field and Davis road repairing gang have completed four miles of road between Briereville and Fork Lake. It is rather dusty travelling now. But there are no potholes as before.

Most of the farmers from around here are having the bulldozer do their brushing.

Mr. Rose of St. Paul was up around Briereville to see the veterans. He is always welcome, as he gives them good advice.

Harvesting is now well underway. Some of the farmers have their crops threshed, while others are waiting for the machine.

We hear Ernestine Gagnon became the bride of Paddy Ferris of St. Bride's. Congatulations.

Johnny Tesolin is in Edmonton. He has entered St. Anthony's college. Best of luck, Johnny!

Little Dee Graham was very sick the other day. But is feeling much better now. Be careful Dee.

Mr. A. Reid is feeing miserable these days. He is in bed, due to rheumatism.

Carmen W. Dawdy
Optometrist
will be at
Lac la Biche Hotel
Friday, September 29th and Saturday, September 30th

Farewell Party Held In Honor Of Mrs. J. Koshelek

SMOKY LAKE. — A surprise farewell was held in honor of Mrs. Lillian Hashelek who has joined her husband to live in Edmonton.

The Smoky Lake friends presented her with a purse of money. The Ukrainian Women's Organization with whom she was a member, presented her with a beautiful electric-ship lamp.

She has been an active member of the curling club as well as with the Smoky Lake Library and the Red Cross.

ABEE NEWS NOTES

Rev. Thos Hart, superintendent of home missions, held a service in the Abee United church on August 27.

Lorna Nuttycombe left for Red Deere where sne will be taking her grade XII this year.

Mrs. Martin of Edmonton spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. R. Kirk.

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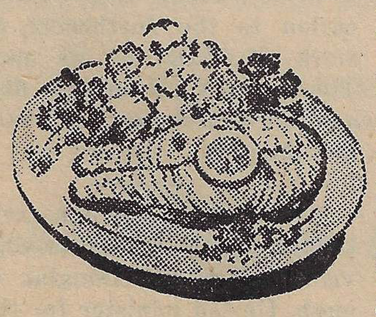
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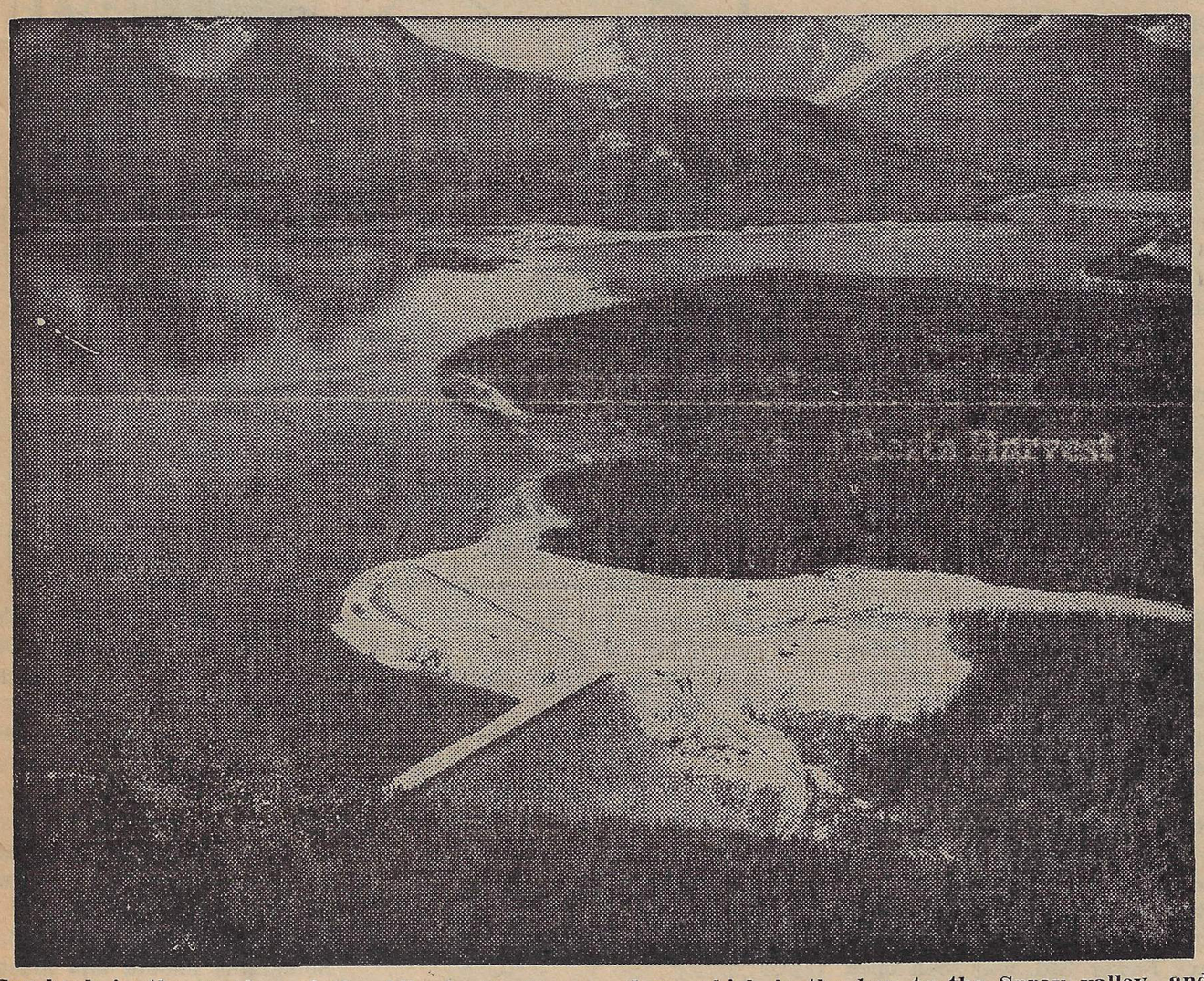
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Spotlight on . . .

ALBERTA

A News Section About Alberta People,
Week Ending Sept. 30, 1950

Vast New Project Opens in Alberta



Far back in the reaches of the Alberta Rockies, lies the new Spray Lake hydro-electric project undertaken by Calgary Power Ltd. The "lake", seen here, is the man-made reservoir which stretches for miles behind the 190-foot high earth dam, which is the key to the Spray valley, and this new hydro project. Nearby channel allows the carry-off of excess water during flood periods, never permitting water levels to rise above the full supply level at elevation of 5,580 feet.

New Hydro-Electric Project Undertaken in Alta. Rockies

By RAYMOND ARGYLE

Nestled in among the towering mountains of the Alberta Rockies, an immense new power project is about to go into operation. A few miles from Banff, in the formerly forbidden Spray Lakes country, Calgary Power Ltd. is bringing in a new hydro-electric project that will almost double the capacity of Alberta's biggest power company.

In a matter of weeks this $10,000,000 development will go to work, supplying Alberta's homes, factories and farms with electrical energy in twice the amount that has previously been available.

High among the Alberta Rockies, on the edge of the Continental Divide, just south of Banff, lies the beautiful valley of the Spray. And it was as inaccessible as it is beautiful until Calgary Power spent $300,000 on roads in the valley to enable the project to be undertaken.

In November, 1948, the big job started, and since then about 250 men have been employed on the project.

High up the mountains, behind Canmore, an earth dam bridged a narrow chasm, and back of that the waters of the twin Spray Lakes were built up until it is 190 feet deep in points.

Four dams in all were erected, along with a five and one half mile canal, and the 1,236 foot Penstock Tunnel that will help guide the waters down to the lower dam.

Three power plants will generate electricity, with a total capacity of 88,600 horse power.

With water the key to the whole development, plans have been made so that hardly a drop will be wasted. Calgary Power incidentally, pays the government rental rights on the water.

Besides being utilized for power consumers, the Spray is used to accomplish other purposes of supplying water to cities and towns, to irrigate, to create scenic beauty and fishing pools, for industrial use, sewage disposal, and for navigation, where possible.

But as great as Spray is, Alberta is growing industrially by such leaps and bounds that Calgary Power is already planning other extensions in the very near future.

Probably early in October the big $10,000,000 project (financed by company shareholders), will go into operation.

It has been a big undertaking, but it is symbolic of a faith in Alberta, and it is a tribute to engineering genius, skill of workmanship, and determination of purpose.

Production Chief Native Albertan

T. D. Stanley, production superintendent at Calgary Power Ltd., has been closely associated with the Spray Hydro Power project. He is a westerner, born in High-River, Alberta.

Tom earned his B.Sc. (Arts) at the University of Alberta (1929) and ..B.Sc. ..(Electrical.. Engineering) was obtained at McGill, (1933).

In April, 1935, Mr. Stanley began his career with Calgary Power Ltd.

His professional standing includes membership in the Engineering Institute of Canada, and in the Professional Engineers of Alberta.

Calgary Power Host To 37 Alta. Weekly Editors

Weekly editors from all over Alberta, 37 in number, were guests of Calgary Power Ltd. over the week-end of Sept. 16-17, when they toured the big new hydro project in the Spray Lakes country near Banff.

Some editors gathered in Calgary Saturday morning, were met by others at Canmore, jumping-off point for the Spray tour. The party was taken on an afternoon-long tour of the vast development and transported in buses that crept up narrow mountain roads.

They saw huge dams and power plants under actual construction, enjoyed an outstanding dinner at one of the construction camps, and in late afternoon went to Banff.

Following is a list of those who took in the tour:

Arthur H. Avery, Taber Times; Jos. S. Baril, Edmonton La Survivance; Alexander Barnhill, Wetaskiwin News Advertiser; T. M. Brinsmead, Bashaw Star; Chas. A. Clark, High River Times; L. D'-Albertanson,, Wainwright Star-Chronicle; W. W. Draayer, Wetaskiwin Times; Chas. L. Dunford, Sylvan Lake News; A. W. Eastly, Sedgewick Community Press; Geo. W. Evans, Gleichen Call; T. H. Ford, Lacombe Globe.

D. W. Fretts, Milk River Review; F. P. Galbraith, Red Deer Advocate; H. T. Halliwell, Macleod Gazette; Max Hamilton, Raymond Recorder; H. E. Hammond, Pincher Creek Echo; Ben A. Huckell, Innisfail Province; T. John Huckell, Innisfail Province; F. Johns, Leduc Representative; Chas. L. Kee Alix Free Press; R. L. King, Camrose Canadian; B. A. Langdon, South Ermonton Weekly News.

N. K. Leatherdale, Olds Gazette; C. A. MacLean, Strathmore Standard; H. E. Martin, Westlock Witness; R. L. Mills, Carstairs News; Gordon Neale, Claresholm Local Press; Clive B. Nesbitt, Brooks Bulletin; R. Newsom, Olds Gazette; K. S. Patridge, Camrose Canadian; J. M. Sabey, Magrath Mirror; H. G. Thunnell, Viking News; Geo. Wheeler, Acme Sentinel; C. R. Worton, Rimbey Recorder; W. Worton, Tofield Mercury.

T. W. Pue and Raymond Argyle represented Community Publications, and were accompanied by Mrs. Pue and Mrs. Argyle.

In charge of the tour was W. E. Ross, public relations director for Calgary Power Ltd.

HELD DREAM OF SPRAY LAKES

For almost 30 years, G. A. Gaherty, president of Calgary Power Ltd., has had the vision of the development of Spray Lakes. Now this vision has become reality, and within a few weeks the power will go surging into the homes and factories of Alberta, from the greatest hydro project in the history of the Foothills province.

Mr. Gaherty is a prominent figure throughout the prairies, and in engineering circles all over the world. He is the recipient of many awards, the latest being the Julian C. Smith medal which he received in 1949 for "Achievement in the development of Canada."

Mr. Gaherty is also president of Farm Electric Services Ltd., which is bringing electric services to a greater number of farmers each year.

Perhaps more than any one man, G. A. Gaherty is responsible for the new industrial dawn which is creeping across the Alberta plains.

Spray Engineer Has Wide Experience

G. V. Eckenfelder, B.Sc. (Civil), R.P.E., M.E.I.C., resident engineer on the Calgary Power Ltd. Spray Hydro project, has a varied background fitting him well for the responsibility of overseeing the construction of Alberta's biggest and newest hydro-electric project. Like many of Calgary Power's employees he is a westerner. He was born at Trochu, Alberta.

On graduation from the University of Alberta (1933), his B.Sc. degree (Civil, Alberta), earned him a berth with the dominion government as an engineer.

He left government work to join Calgary Power in 1936(remaining with the company until his enlistment in the Canadian Army in 1940.

Following his war service he rejoined Calgary Power Ltd. He was also in charge of the Snare River power project in Yukon Territory.



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New Road Link With Alaska

Alberta government's decision to survey the proposed Whitecourt-Valleyview highway with a view to building a new and shorter link with the Alaska highway has brought applaud from the residents of the Lac Ste. Anne district.

Businessmen and townsfolk of Sangudo, Onoway, Cherhill, Mayerthorpe and other towns have long urged that such a road be built. This newspaper, too, has added its voice to the growing demand for the "Whitecourt Cut-off'. Several weeks back a feature story pointed out the necessity of building the new road.

The Whitecourt-Valleyview road would shorten by about 100 miles the present route to Alaska. Instead of travelers having to drive far out of their way through Athabasca and High Prairie, the proposed new road would provide an almost straight route between Edmonton, Grande Prairie and Dawsoon Creek, in B.C.

The growing towns within the municipal district of Lac Ste. Anne will receive another boost to their continued progress if the road goes through. It is to be hoped the Alberta government loses no time on this project.

Alberta Traffic and Safety Guide

Rising toll of accidents, both on Alberta's highways and in the home, factories, and on the farm, is causing growing concern.

A new book, just off the press, entitled 'Alberta Traffic and Safety Guide,' is a publication well-worth reading.

Published through the efforts of the Safety Concil, the Alberta Motor Asssociation and the provincial government's travel bureau, the book is being distributed free throughout the province.

Arthur E. (Bud) Taylor, editor of the Safety Guide, has assembled a valuable amount of material, and we recommend it highly.

A copy of the booklet may be obtained by dropping a note to its editor, at 39 Gariepy block, Edmonton.

Farm Income In Alberta

Farm cash income in Canada from the sale of farm products amounted to $870,500,000 during the first six months of 1950. This is a decline of 18.6 per cent from the 1949 cash income of $1,069,400,000 during the same period. In addition a little over $13 million was received in the form of Prairie Farm Assistance payments.

The substantial decline in farm cash income this year is largely due to the fact that while $213.3 million was paid to prairie farmers in the form of participation and equalization payments durng the first half of 1949, only $6.3 million was paid in the same period this year. This reduction in payments is reflected in the sharp drop in farm cash income in the prairie provinces. In Saskatchewan this drop in income amounted to nearly 50 per cent, while in Manitoba and Alberta it came to approximately 44 and 33 per cent respectively.

During the first six months of last year total farm cash income was as follows: Manitoba, $91,029,000. Saskatchewan $228,161,000, Alberta $210,249,000 and Canada $1,078,635,000.

A Newspaperman's Prayer

"Lord, let me keep a straight way in the path of honor; and a straight face in the presence of solemn asses; let me not truckle to the high, nor bulldoze the low; let me frolic with Jack and Joker, and win the game; lead me unto truth and beauty and tell me her name; keep me sane but not too sane; let me condemn no man because of his grammar and no woman on account of her morals; neither being responsible for either.

"Preserve my sense of humor and values and proportions. Let me be healthy while I live but not live too long. Which is about all for today, Lord. Amen."

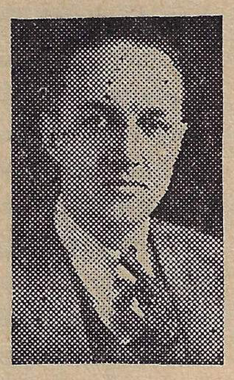
—Bob Edwards

Rural Electrification: How to Get it Sooner

By T. W. PUE

Two years ago the people of Alberta voted by a relatively narrow margin, to leave in the hands of the companies now running it, the electric power business.

Perhaps the power companies have a right to feel thankful about that. Any independent grocer, garage man or editor who likes the job of running his own affairs without government domination would be happy to know his business was to be left with him. The CCF, which supported the idea of socializing the power industry, felt somewhat bitter that the same rural vote which supported their ideas on that point, so overwhelmingly voted against them. Such are the fortunes of politics.



T. W Pue

Farmers Want Electricity

I believe Alberta farmers turned thumbs down on a CCF government, when at the same time they voted for a Government Hydro commission, because it was rural electrification they wanted — not just socialism. The Alberta farmer would like to have electric lights in his home, and an electric washer, refrigerator, toaster, radios etc., just the same as town and city folks. Besides that, he has scores of real jobs to be done on the farm. Electric lights for barns, machine shops, sheds and hen houses. Electric milking machines, feed grinders and power tools all would be easier and cheaper to operate.

So, if under private enterprise he isn't getting electricity, and there is hope of getting it with government ownership, can you blame him for voting for socialism. No!—but let's examine the facts.

Cost Per Farm: $1,000.00

First, we have to recognize there are many limiting factors in the program to get electricity to the farms. Calgary Power Ltd. will soon open its new Spray Lakes power scheme which will solve for years to come the problem of sufficient power. There is plenty of power for every Alberta farm—the stickler being simply a matter of distribution. There are some farms so remote from established power lines that regardless of who sells the electricity, they won't get it for many years.

To get electric power to the farm costs an average of $1,000.00 where 40 or 50 farmers club together. If, as in Manitoba, a power commission handled the job, they would run lines into each farm for less than $100.00, where the actual cost is $1,000.00. Who pays the difference?

Not the farmer getting the power. His electric bill for 20 years probably wouldn't pay it. The money to pay for rural power extension comes out of the pockets of the urban and town users of electric energy.

So, though the individual farmer gets a $1,000.00 power hook-up for $100.00, it isn't fair to the city and town dweller who would have to pay higher rates. Clearly, this isn't possible when private companies are selling electric power, and farmers getting rural electrification are expected to pay their own installation charges.

If the people of Alberta feel that farmers should be aided in installing rural electrification—and I agree with those who do—then I believe it could be done in one of two ways.

(a) Farmers of any district, forming a co-operative association to build power lines, could borrow money from the government at a very low rate of interest, and repay the principal over a 30-year period. In this way, the rural power user would pay about $3.00 per month capital charges in addition to cost of power used, service charge and storm insurance.

(b) The government could grant a sum of money when power lines are built, to at least match dollar-for-dollar for extension of power service costs to individual farms.

In short, we want rural electrification as fast as men and materials can be provided. We can get it faster with government assistance which doesn't have to include government ownership.

The idea of subsidies for power line extension, leaving the sale and distribution of power in the hands of the private companies, should appeal to the present Alberta government which pretty generally is opposed to government ownership.

Scriptural Meditations

By Ainsley Blair

"Although there may be a tainted, corrupted atmosphere around us, we need not breathe its miasma, but may live in the pure air of Heaven. We may close every door to impure imaginings and unholy thoughts by lifting the soul into the presence of God through sincere prayer. Those whose hearts are open to receive the support and blessing of God will walk in a holier atmosphere than that of earth, and will have constant communion with Heaven.

Caught Short Again!



Disarming by the Allies of West Germany, and Russia's rearming of the East, means that the democracies have been caught short again. However, steps are being taken to arm West Germany for defensive purposes.

Voice of the People

"VOX POPULI, VOX DEI"

Juvenile Criminals

Dear Sir,—These 'teen age lawbreakers who steal cars and risk the life and limb of every law-abiding citizen ought to be stood up against a wall and shot. This would soon discourage other aspirants for a life of crime and we could close our Fort Saskatchewan Jail. Personally, if what you say about Fort Saskatchewan is true, I think it's too good for these young hooligans.

XYZ.

North Edmonton.

Never Had No Mom?

Dear Sir,—Gosh, what a screwball, that guy who yelled in the Voice that women are ruining the country, that he hated all women, and that the world would be better off without them! How the heck does he think he got here—by a stork?

MARRIED AND HAPPY.

Hardisty.

Husband Drunken Maniac

Dear Sir,—Having read your article entitled "Drunkeness No Excuse," I would like to add my opinion, it most definitely is no excuse for anything. When men or women willfully destroy their sense of reality and an innocent person pays the price, why should they be given or shown any leniency?

We have a so-called Christian Government in Alberta. Why so lax in liquor laws? Governments quite often make various surveys covering this and that, why not make a house to house survey, to find out for themselves how many broken hearts and homes they will find, caused by liquor?

The leaders of our Government profess to believe in God and are not conscious of the evils of liquor or have no conscience as to the effects of liquor on what could be decent citizens of Alberta. Why remain in office?

Something should and must be done soon to protect those whose misfortune it is to be living with alcoholics or suffering from the stupidity of a drunk at large.

ONE WHO KNOWS.

Answers Woman Hater

Dear Sir,—I hope B.G.F. of Whitecourt, Alta., takes note of this.

I take it for granted that you have been married and had the experience with women, for you take them aside as your enemies now.

It is something like the war that is going on in the world today. You should realize that God created us to love everybody, not to hate any creature living here on earth.

Since you hate women, you must not like your mother very much because she is a woman too, which you must remember.

Women were made to take care of men. If it weren't for the women, you wouldn't be living in this world today. Please take this into consideration.

CORRIE OLCHOWY.

Opal.

Cemetery Cheaper?

Dear Sir,—If prices and taxes go any higher, will anybody be able to afford to live?

O. P.

Metiskow.

Thought For Today

Dear Sir,— Itwould be nice if some people had a little less love for money and a little more love for their fellow men.

A. GENG.

South Edmonton.

Why Editor Left Town

(From Brooks Bulletin)

A southern Alberta editor, just about to go to press "pied" a a couple of articles, one concerning an auction sale and the other a write-up of a wedding. He asked the office devil to get the two articles together, and here's how he did it:

"William Smith and Miss Lucy Anderson were disposed of at public auction at my barn one mile east of a beautiful cluster of roses, and two white calves, before a background of farm implements too numerous to mention in the presence of about 70 guests including two milkcows, 6 mules and a bob sled. Rev. Jackson tied the nuptial knot with 200 feet of hay rope, and the bridal couple left on one John Deere gang plow for an extended trip with terms to suit purchasers."

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Canadians Should Always Practice Christian Living

Christian living is a worthy objective for all Canadians. But against the background of this modern age, with its stresses and strains, one question must first be answered: "What Is Christian Living?"

The scriptural background of Christian living is based on Jesus' teachings, a part of his Sermon on the Mount, on Paul's teachings in his letters to the believers at Philippi and at Thessalonia, and the practical teachings of James, the brother of our Lord.

A definition of Christian living presupposes that the person to be advised is already a believer in Christ. There could be no Christ-ian living without first an acceptance of Christ. Any study or definition of Christian living therefore, immediately goes back to a study of Christ himself and his manner of life while he was here in the world.

In the first part of the Sermon on the Mount—in the Beatitudes—Jesus told his followers what the Christian traits should be. Then he turns to their influence. Using symbols which his listeners could easily unledstand, he compares his followers to salt and light.

Salt, although a very plentiful material in that part of the world, was and is a very necessary element. Jesus was comparing salt to the unconscious influence of Christians. As salt works silently and unseen to save food from spoiling and to make it more palatable to the taste, so should the Christian's influence silently work to make the home, church and community a better place in which to live.

Light represents the Christian's visible influence. The life of Christians should be such that everyone who comes into contact with him or her will be able to see "Christ living in me," as Paul once declared. Both salt and light work silently and so should the influence of people who love Jesus. Jesus taught partly by what he said, much more by what he did but most of all by what he was, the sinless Son of God.

Paul outlines the Christian philosophy of religion in his letter to the Philippian Christians. While he says much the same things as Jesus did, he does not say them quite so simply. Paul urged the believers at Philippi to live as citizens worthy of the heavenly kingdom, which to him, meant doing the will of God in the church as it is done in heaven.

He gave them the comfort of the assurance that the Living Christ lived with them every day.

OIL WORKERS GET BONUS

Additional cost of living bonus to all salaried employees, except officers, is being made by British American Oil Co. The allowance amounting to six per cent of basic salaries will commence from October 1.

BA officials stated that a constant check is kept on the cost of living index and the latest allowance is in line with company policy of assisting employees to meet advancing costs.

Modern Hotel In Town Of Amisk

AMISK. — Residents and tourists here are favored with one of the most modern hotels in the province, the Amisk Hotel, operated by the Whieler Bros., formerly of Guelph, Ont.

They recently purchased it from O. J. Larson.

Latest improvement is new inlaid linoleum in the bar, dining room, and coffee shop.

Operator of the Amisk Hotel Cafe is Mrs. A. Erickson.

Vermilion Fair Plans To Sponsor Fall Stock Sale

VERMILION. — The Vermilion Fair Board is to again sponsor a fall sale of purebred beef and dairy cattle and swine, the sale to be held at Vermilion on Saturday, Oct. 28. Entries close on Oct. 6 and catalogue of the offerings will be made available to the public shortly after this date.

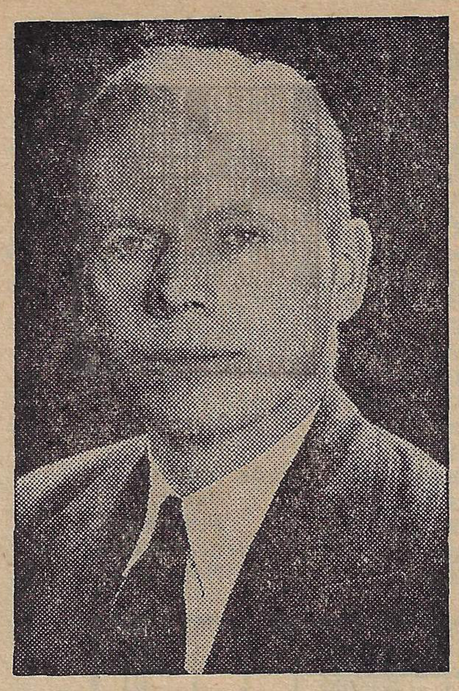
Dairy cattle will be included, thus making it possible for those interested to obtain some first class stock of the dairy breeds.

All who have purebred stock they wish to offer should send their entries to S. C. Heckbert, Secretary-Manager of the Vermilion Agricultural Society.

Canadians Enter World Hoop Tourney

Canada, along with 11 other countries, has pledged to attend the basketball world championship to be held in Buenos Aires, starting Oct. 22.

Canada, Brazil, Chile, Egypt, France, Italy, Peru, Spain, United States, Uruguay, and Yugoslavia have already informed the Argentine Basketball Federation that they will join the tournament.



R. A. EMERSON has been appointed assistant chief engineer of the Canadian Pacific railway. Mr. Emerson is a third generation CPR employee, his father and grandfather all having served the company in western Canada.

FIRES FOG ALTA. TOWNS

Several persistent blazes throughout northern Alberta have caused a fog of smoke in several communities.

The peat-bog near Newbrook, which has been fought by about 200 men for the past week, has drowned Waskatenau, Thorhild and Boyle in a fog of smoke, according to reports from those points.

Forest fires farther north have wafted smoke into Lac la Biche.

The big peat-bog blaze which menaced Newbrook early last week is slowly dying down. Change of the wind, which was at first pushing the fire right into the town, saved Newbrook from almost certain disaster.

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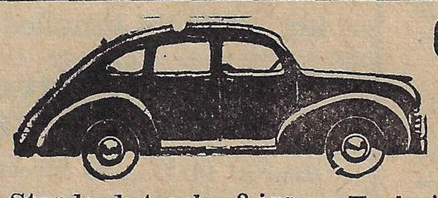
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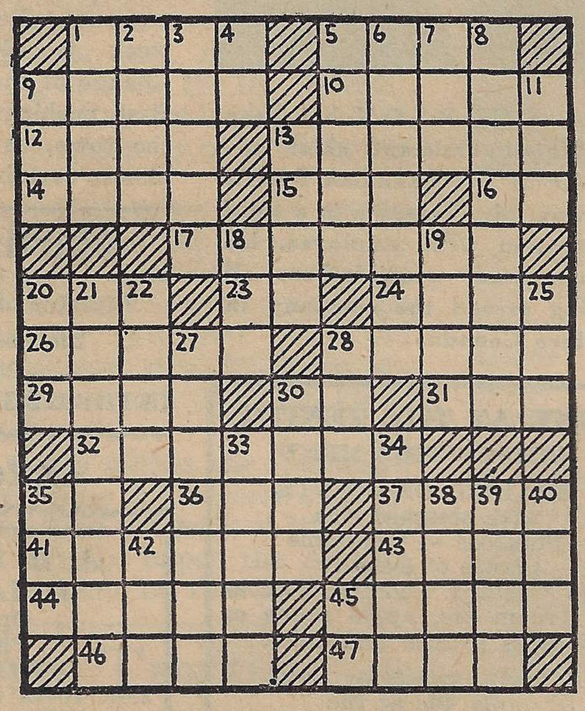
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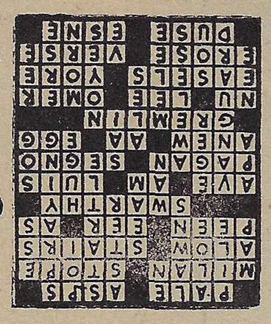
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5. Vipers
9. City (It.)
10. An ore excavation
12. Below (Naut.)
13. Steps
14. Opposite end of hammer head
15. Ever (poet.)
16. Roman pound
17. Of dark complexion
20. Hail!
23. Part of "to be"
24. Man's name
26. Heathen
28. Musical sign :S:
29. Afresh
30. River (Latvia)
31. Incite
32. Mischievous, tricky imp (Aero.)
35. Greek letter
36. Sheltered side
37. Hebrew measure
41. Artist's stands
43. Time long past
44. Appearing as if eaten
45. Poetry
46. Italian actress (d. 1924)
47. Serf (Anglo-Saxon)

DOWN

1. Heap
2. Genus of lily
3. Grassy yards
4. Half an em
5. Showy flower
6. Alarm
7. Hawaiian food
8. Dispersing in fine particles
9. Chart
11. Letter S
13. Line of juncture
18. Careworn
19. Immense
20. American Philological Association (abbr.)
21. Advance guard of an army
22. River (Ger.)
25. Bog (Prov. Eng.)
27. Without fear (var.)
28. Capuchin monkey
30. Malt beverages
33. Affray
34. English poet
35. Born
38. Morning (poet.)
39. Scottish-Gaelic Female ruff
42. French coin
45. Norse god



Solution To This Week's Puzzle



The LIGHTER SIDE

Bargain Hunter

A woman was picked up for the fourth time trying to walk out of a New York department store with unpaid-for merchandise.

The store detective asked her: "Why do you insist on doing your shoplifting in this store?"

And the answer: "Where else could I find such bargains?"

The Price of Peace

Over the counter of the pawnshop a musician handed his violine with the brief comment:

"How much?"

The proprietor examined the instrument and then replied:

"One pound."

"One pound!" snorted the musician. "That's ridiculous! Why the neighbors offered me more than that."

But Weigh Them, Too

Englishwoman (in Scotland): "I want a sheep's head, and it must be English."

Butcher (flinging a head to his assistant): "Here, Joik, take the brains oot o' this."

All Learned

A boy went to work in an engineer's shop, and after he had been there three weeks, announced his intention of leaving. His employer asked the reason, whether the hours were all right, and the money all right, and the boy replied:

"Yes, those are all right, but I don't like it, and I'm sorry I learned the business now."

From the Hills of Aberdeen

A taxicab passenger, arriving at his destination, paid the fare but did not tip the driver.

"You forgot something," said the driver.

"What?" asked the passenger in honest bewilderment, slapping his pockets and peering back into the cab.

"Your bagpipes," retorted the driver.

LETTER TO LOUISA

Alberta Girl Writes Of Older Man Who Loves Her

Dear Louisa — I am 20 years of age, and I have a problem which you can perhaps help me solve.

For several months I went out with a man considerably older than myself. He is a fine man, fairly well-to-do, of the same faith. He says he loves me, and he can offer me everything I want.

I tried to make myself love him, and I admire and like him immensely, but I just can't love him.

On the other hand, I have fallen for another man I know. He's poor, and not of my faith, but he's more my age.

Is it possible that looks counts? You see, the older man is not very good looking. Or is it that I'm being childish where this matter is concerned?

BROWN EYES.

Answer:

No matter how fine a man may be, there's no point in considering marriage if you do not actually love him. But make sure about this first.

As far as the younger man is concerned, do not try to rush into anything, as time will tell if you actually love him. Then will be time enough to decide if you actually want to marry him.

LOUISA.

Dear Louisa—I am a girl of 17 who does not know much about piano ororgan playing, but I would like to take lessons this winter.

At our church there is a lovely organ but no one plays it. I have been told that mostly only Sisters play the church organ, and I am wondering if I could play it.

Also, could you tell me where I might take such lessons.

WONDERING.

Answer:

Quite often you see advertisements in the daily papers where you can obtain such lessons. In regard to your playing the church organ, why not ask your priest about this?

LOUISA.

Dear Louisa—Ever since I can remember I have always had a special cousin, and now I am afraid I have fallen in love with him. I may sound silly, but that's the case. I've been told what can happen if cousins marry, but we love each other and want to get married.

MARGO.

Answer:

If you two happen to be first or second cousins, I would advise strongly against your present plans. True love cannot be selfish, and I am afraid that is what it would amount to, as to marry with out thinking of your children would be very selfish. Moreover, every marriage must have children to make it complete. I am sorry to say this, but in my opinion, you should try and forget each other.

LOUISA.

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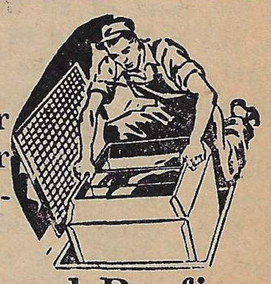
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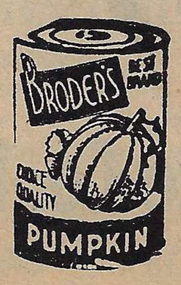
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PUBLISHING COSTS RISING BUT WEEKLIES MOST CAREFULLY READ

Although costs of publishing papers has risen greatly during the past year, to the point where one expert says "adjustments" in price scales are necessary for most papers to survive, a recent market survey indicates that weeklies are read "seven times" more carefully than the average daily paper.

The prominent figure who called for price increases as a necessity for survival was T. F. Mowle, a director of the Wall St. Journal, who pointed out that "newspapers, as a whole, are earning less each year despite an increasing revenue."

"Several great newspapers have closed their doors within the current year . . . this makes imperative adjustments of the rate structure to put the newspaper business on a sound financial basis."

Advertising and circulation prices have had to be raised by many Alberta weeklies recently. Latest paper to boost its price per copy is the Drumheller Mail, which has gone from five to seven cents per copy.

Findings of recent readership surveys in Canada and the U.S. indicates that readership of advertising, on the average, is seven times greater in weeklies than in dailies.

In the daily press as few as one per cent of the readers may read an advertisement, but in weeklies, the percentage of readership is much higher.

For example, a similar General Motors advertisement received attention from 56 per cent of the readers of a weekly paper compared to a rating of only 16 per cent for the same advertisement in a daily which was surveyed.

Church Condemns Horse Betting

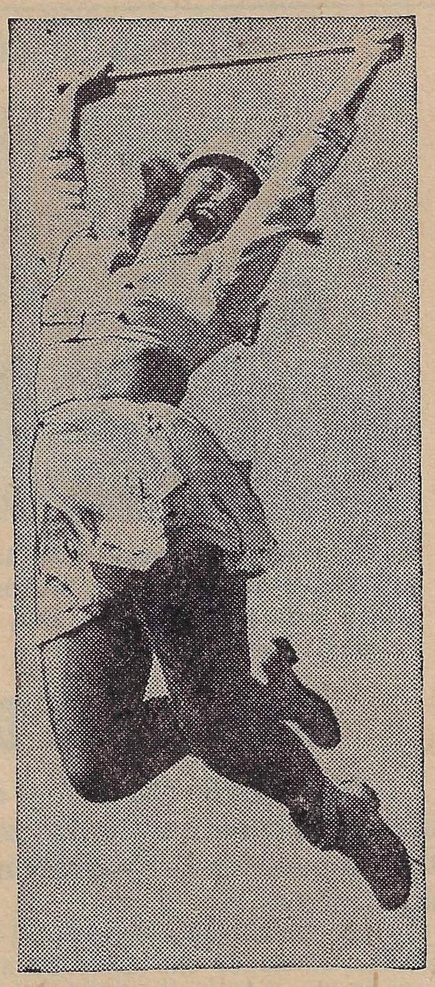
TORONTO.—Rev. J. R. Mutchmor, secretary of the United Church board of evangelism, said Saturday that the United Church played a big part in helping to reduce betting in Windsor, Ont., on horse races and that there was reason to hope for good results in Montreal.

An admonition against dishonesty in such matters as making income tax returns was contained in a report of the board of evangelism and social service, presented by Dr. Mutchmor.

"It is just as dishonest to steal from Ottawa as from our next-door neighbor," Dr. Mutchmor said.

Make Long Trek To Scout Camp

YELLOWKNIFE. — Boy Scouts of the 1st Yellowknife Troop in the Northwest Territories travelled 950 miles to attend Sylvan Lake Scout Camp in Alberta this summer.



FOOTBALL games in Alberta this fall are inspiring plenty of cheering. Here a majorette is seen in a state of real excitement after a home-town team touchdown in Edmonton's Clark Stadium.

Educators to Tour Alberta

Three Canadian and three American men prominent in education will tour Alberta centres this fall as guest speakers at 17 con ventions of Alberta teachers.

Series has been arranged by the Alberta Teachers' Association.

Among the most famous educationists to attend will be Dr. W. E. Blatz, internationally noted authority on child psychology.

Another faculty member of the Toronto University, Dr. John A. Irving, psychologist, will be present.

The Alberta Teachers' Association sponsors of the convention, have reached across the line for three educationists. Dr. George Selke, University of Montana; Mr. W. Virgil Smith, assistant superintendent of Seattle Public Schools; and Dr. Wilbur A. Yauch, principal of the Training School and Professor of Education at the University of Ohio, will attend.

Probably the most prominent of the entire group is Edmonton's Dr. M. E. LaZerte, former dean of the Alberta Faculty of Education.

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20th Century FARM NEWS

Farm Leaders Protest Low Grading of Wheat

Alberta and Saskatchewan farm leaders will carry on their protest against low grading of frost-damaged wheat, a meeting of delegates from both provinces decided in Edmonton last week.

However, they decided against calling a grain delivery strike, saying that "the first point of attack should be through every other possible avenue."

The meeting was held between leaders of the Farmers' Union of Alberta and the Saskatchewan Farmers' Union.

"Petition of rights" for agriculture was prepared as a remedy for "some of the fundamental ills of agriculture in western Canada."

Details of the "petition of rights" were withheld pending their presentation to federal authorities.

Discussions also centred around what an official statement termed "the decline in the agricultural income and the lower initial price of wheat."

Regarding low grading of frost-damaged wheat, the meeting discussed a suggestion that a delivery strike be held, but decided against it at this time.

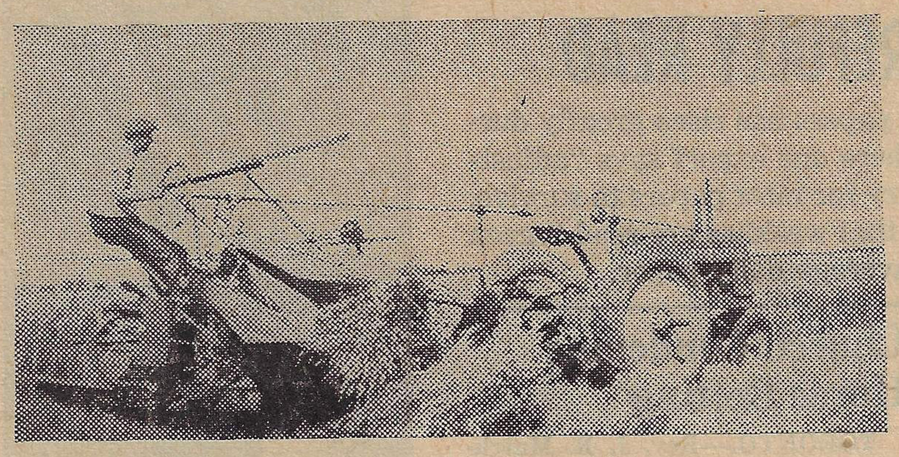
Grain officials said that if the strike had been ordered, farm granaries would have been filled to overflowing almost immediately.

This would have led to storage of grain on the ground, where it may have been damaged to a point of being unfit for sale.

Last Round-Up For Bar U Ranch

CALGARY—Famous for a generation or more in Western Canada, the Bar U Ranch located in the Alberta Foothills is now being split up into several smaller holdings. The last round-up has been made and 314 range bred horses have been shipped to a processing plant at Calgary, according to a recent report from the Canada Department of Agriculture's production service at Calgary.

Drives Tractor from Binder



Seen here with a unique home invention, enabling one man to operate binder and tractor, is Morris Buffell, R. R. 3, South Edmonton. Drive cuts labor time in half, would mean a big saving to any farmer. See story below.

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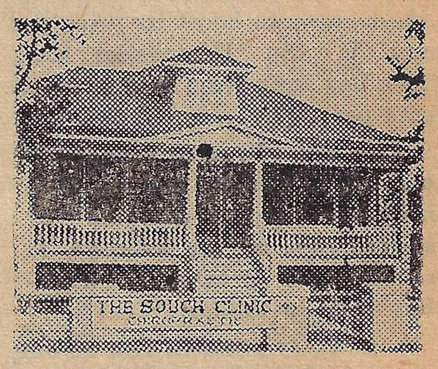
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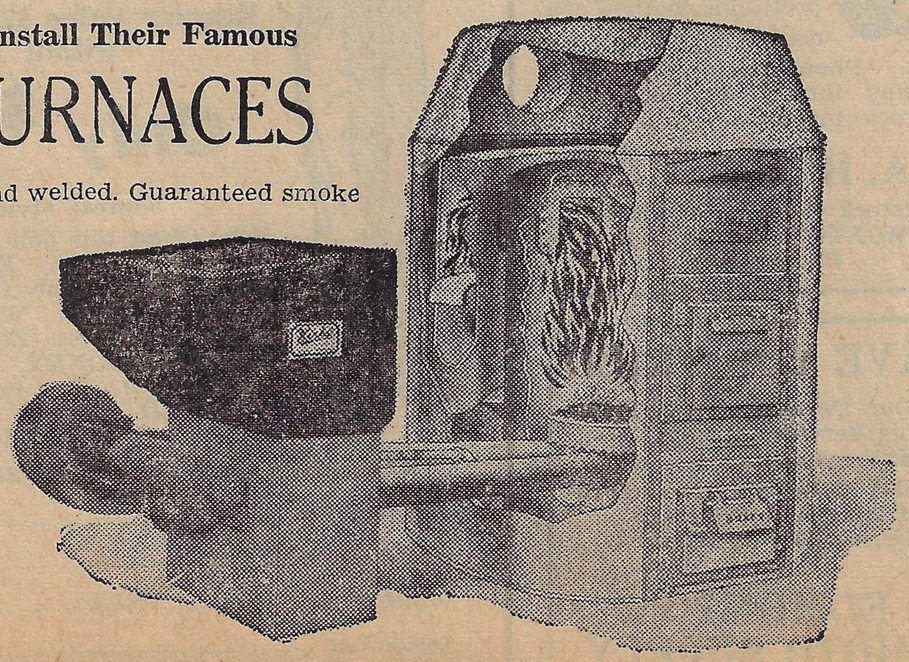
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TEACHERS HOLD INSTITUTE RECENTLY IN THORHILD

THORHILD. — Teachers of Thorhild School Division held an Institute in the Thorhild High School on Sept. 8. Mr. I. Goresky, inspector of schools, dealt with the circular and directions—to all teachers.

Intermediate science— all teachers by Mr. Wm. Kraychy and Mr. Chykerda; Grade XII examinations in English— high school teachers by Mr. Bayduza.

After lunch all high school teachers had a session with Mr. Byrone, high school inspector.

Mrs. Wynnychuk dealt with Intermediate English; Mr . J. Rudnisky dealt with Grade IX social studies examination. Science enterprises— Miss N. Goresky. Enterprise and outlines— Mr. Paul Mulyk. Library methods —Mr. M. Muzyka.

Mr. Hicket's school van is on its way from Windsor, Ont. to Thorhild. Joe Hickel is driving it.

Mr. S. Stroich, owner of Thorhild Mercantile motored to the city last week.

Orville Batolfs and family motored to the city on labor day.

Eddie Polanski has decided to attend Thorhild high school, taking his first year of grade XII.

Walter Chekyrda is teaching at Goldsborough school now.

Frank Zilinski is teaching at Tudor school.

Mrs. Whitby is teaching at Mapova school.

Abee students are being taxied to Thorhild high school by Thorhild Cab. Students from Mapova and Tudor schools arrange their own transportation to Thorhild high school.

Pete Kotylak is very busy with Thorhild school students ordering books.

Mr. Baydyza and Mr. Kraychy have moved into their large double teacherage at Egremont, which the Thorhild school division has purchased recently. Mr. Kraychy is living upstairs, and Mr. Baydyza downstairs.

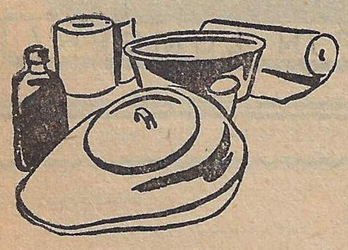
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Sept. 21	51.0	78.5
Sept. 22	48.9	78.0

Harry Watson Now Enrolled In RCAF

RADWAY.—Harry Watson has passed the medical examinations and been accepted to join the RCAF, and has recently left on an air transport to the training camp at Bedford, Ont.

The Watsons came to Radway from Saskatchewan a few years ago to take charge of the CNR station. Harry took his grades 9 and 10 in Radway-Hi and displayed keen interest in sport, particularly hockey and motor cycling. Then he joined the CNR crew and was stationed at Heinsburg at the time of his enlistment in the air force.



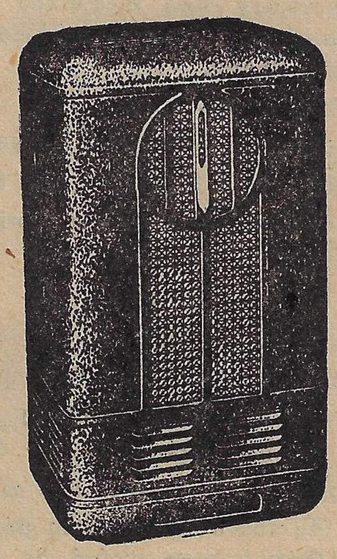
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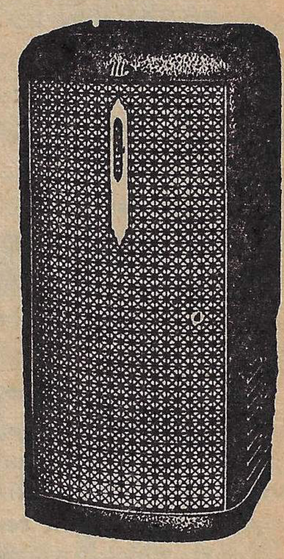


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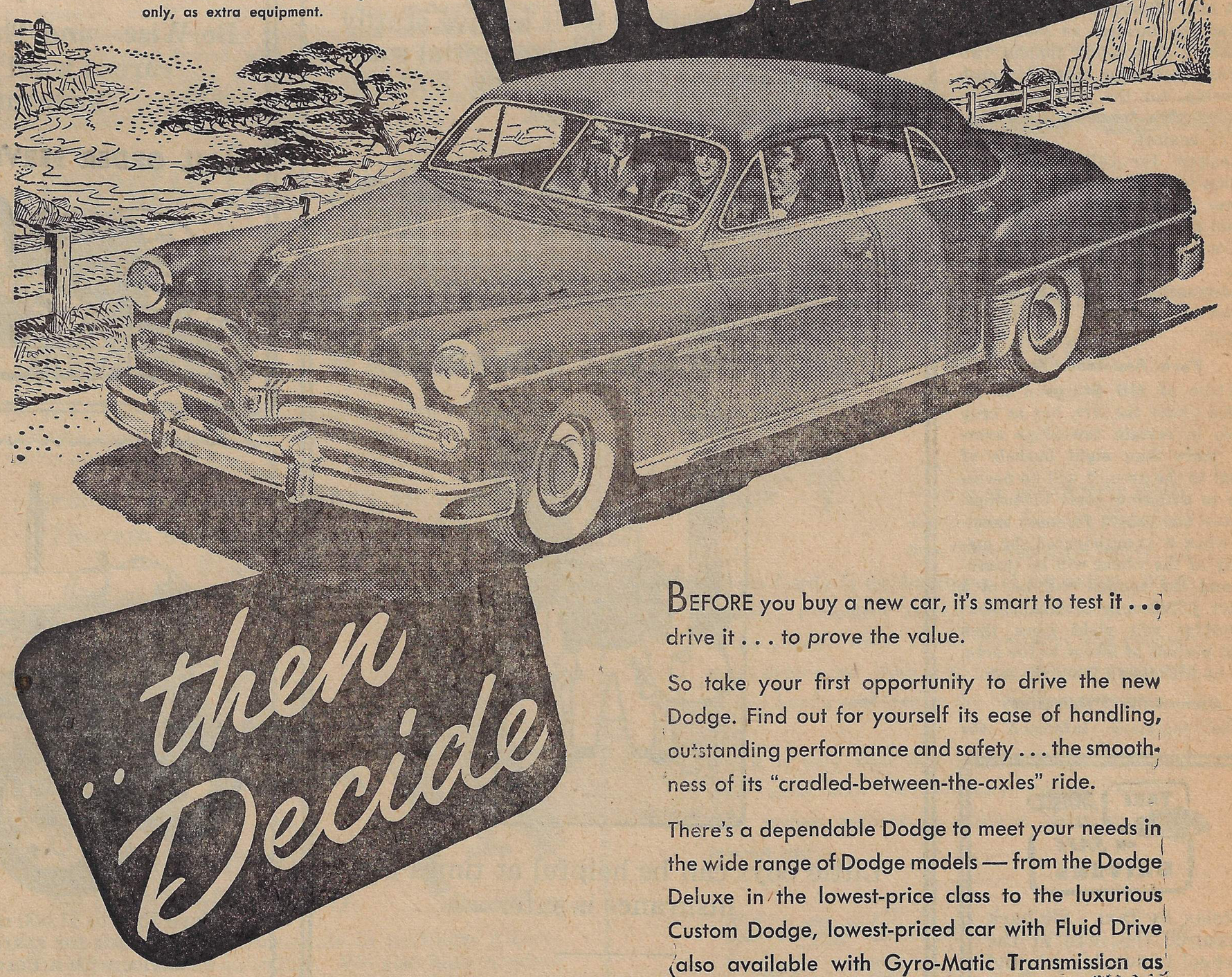


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STURGEON DISTRICT ASKS GOV'T TO TAKE OVER VICTORIA TRAIL

Municipality of Sturgeon, stretching north from Edmonton, will have to put up $5,000 to receive a $7,500 grant from the provincial government for road work on the Victoria trail, leading from the city to Redwater.

This was learned at a recent meeting of the municipal council, held in the council chambers at Edmonton.

The secretary was instructed to remind the government that Sturgeon has already requested the government to take over the Victoria Trail, because it is the most direct route to Redwater, and thereby is heavily travelled, the municipality cannot afford to maintain it in good condition.

No reply has yet been received to this report, which was made in July.

However, council is prepared to use this money on a straight grant and have the work contracted, as the district's road machinery is not available.

Excerpts from the minutes follow:

On motion of Councillor Hrynchuk permission was granted to North West Utilities for cross-over from 50 street to creosote plant.

Compromise payment was effected on account of Sturgeonville Mutual Telephone Co. rendered for moving and erecting telephone line through River Road and part Victoria Trail.

TB Restricted Area

Representatives of the federal and provincial governments stressed the importance of having the MD Sturgeon included in the TB restricted area. Forms have been supplied for petitioning the district into TB area and it was suggested the farmers as soon after threshing as possible appoint two representatives or more for each township, for the purpose of obtaining the farmer's signatures, for or against.

Request for culvert at inetrsection with correction line at SW corner of the site on which brick school at Namao stands. Referred to Councillor Potter for investigation.

Resignation of Mr. Giles was received and accepted, as poundkeeper.

Farm Assistance Act

Whole of MD Sturgeon is included under the Act, but as crop yields in certain townships average more than eight bushels of wheat to the acre, it will be necessary to withdraw some townships. Matter was tabled for next meeting when it is anticipated the majority of the wheat will be threshed and the council will be in a better position to ascertain what townships will yield more than eight bushels of wheat to the acre, and be withdrawn from the Act.

Community Publications

The secretary informed the council that he had advertised pound sale advertisement in the Community Publications, and that no charge had been made for the advertisement.

Refund of Taxes

Secretary reported Mr. and Mrs. Weiss prepaid their 1950 taxes and due to adjustment in their assessment, it would be necessary to refund $12.03 which would include discount. It was moved by Councillor Holmes that secretary be authorized to pay same.

Road Allowance

Application of Mr. H. M. Clark to lease or purchase unused road allowance adjoining his farms and leading down to the river was recommended on the motion of Councillor Hrynchuk that lease or purchase of that portion of road allowance from Fort Trail SW 27-54-23-4 east three quarters of a mile be granted by the department of public works to Mr. H. M. Clark.

Application to lease NE 27-59-23-4 was tabled for investigation by Councillor Hrynchuk.

In reference to the bridge damage by 19th Armored Car Regiment seven miles NE of Namao, the secretary was instructed to send account for replacing bridge to Capt. Shortt.

Form B

Forms B submitted by Councillors Stack and Hrynchuk was approved by council on the motion of Councillor Holmes.

Prairie Fire

Report of RCMP was received and investigation failed to identify the Siesmograph Company alleged to be responsible for the beginning of the fire. In any case, once the fire reached farm property, that farmer would be responsible for the ensuing damage.

Cafe at Egremont

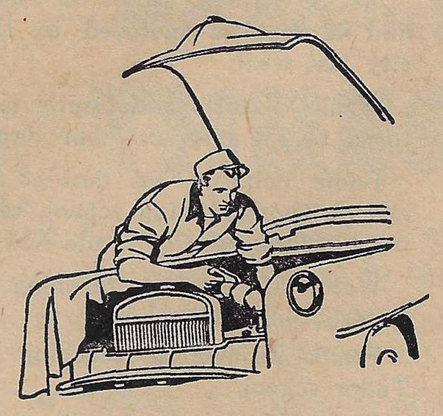
Application from Leonard Heckel to operate a cafe in building located on lot 5 block 3 Egremont was recommended on the motion of Councillor Hrynchuk.

Court of revision for personal property assessments will be held on Thursday, Oct. 12, at 2 p.m. This was decided on motion of Councillor Stack.

Accounts submitted by the secretary were ordered paid on the motion of Councillor Stack.

Meeting adjourned to meet again on Thursday, Oct. 12.

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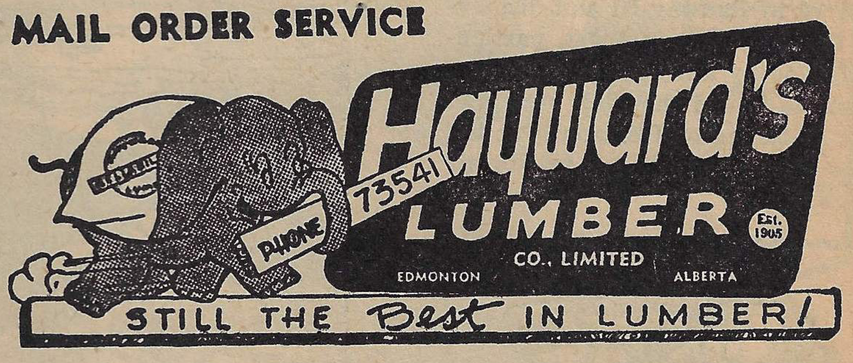
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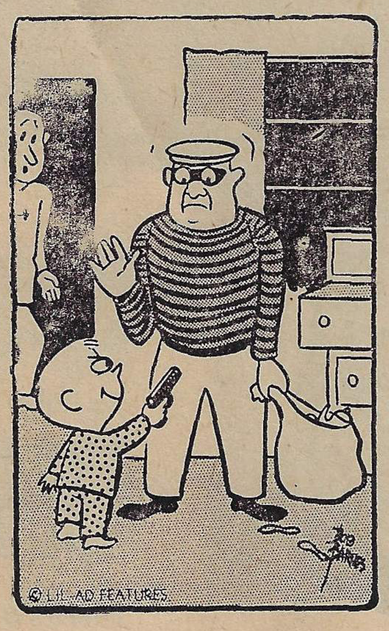
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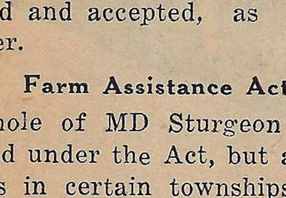


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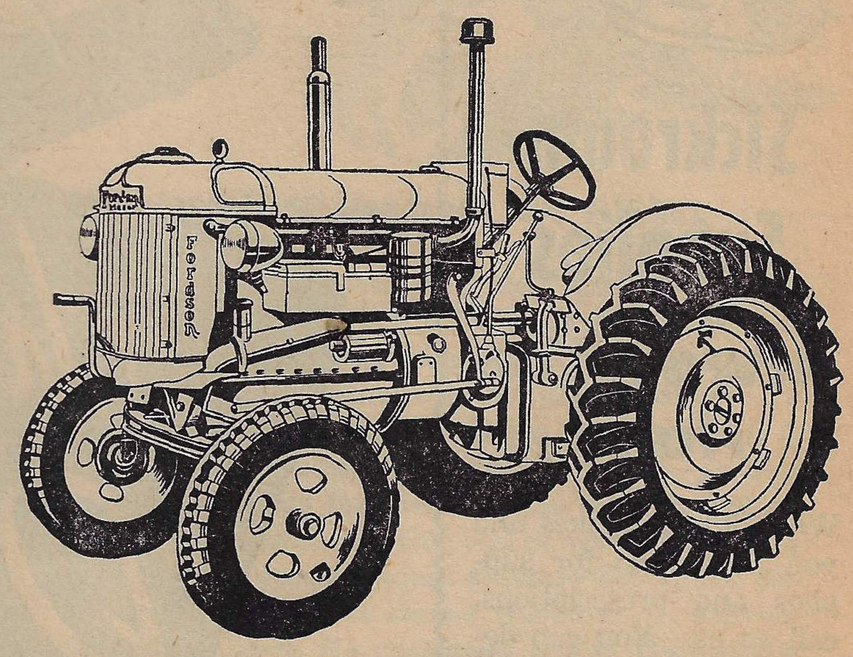
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REMODELLING OF COMMUNITY HALL GETS UNDERWAY AT BOYLE

BOYLE. — The remodelling of the Boyle community hall started Monday morning. Plans are for a new floor.

A large crowd gathered together on Thursday evening to listen to the Kansas Farmer.

Friday night was enjoyed by many people who listened to Smiling Ernie and his Jamborees.

Miss Palnine Nakonachy visited her parents over the week-end.

Nora McNamara, formerly of Boyle, has gone to Alberta College for a business course.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Lindstrom of Ellscott are the proud parents of a nine and three-quarter pound baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Doush are the proud parents of a nine-pound baby boy.

Relatives from Edmonton were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dunsby at their home.

Mrs. Ben Mellott was visiting friends in Colinton Sunday.

Threshing is in full swing for farmers in the Boyle district.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kordybun have returned from a long holiday through the U.S. They brought home a new Pontiac car.

Jean Steed of Boyle was in the Athabasca hospital for a week with blood poison in her finger.

A demonstration of Wear-Ever brushes was held in the home of Miss Mabel McNamara.

Crop Outlook Poor In Opal District

OPAL.— Practically all the farmers in this district haven't very much to look forward to regarding this year's threshing.

Every type of grain grown in, and around the vicinity is almost a complete failure.

An odd farmer will have enough feed for his livestock for the winter, while others have to get rid of cattle because of the lack of feed. There has been little or no haying done around here this year.

School Organization Complete In Radway

RADWAY. — Under the able management and guidance of Mr. Wm. Tanasiuk, principal of Radway high school a most satisfactory program has been organized in record time, offering seven departmentals to grade 12, and an even more complete program for the rest of the school than was available in former years.

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Births

Born to Mr .and Mrs. Wm. Duigou of Atmore, a son, on Sept. 17.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Yakowich of La cla Biche, a daughter, on Sept. 17.

Born to Mr .and Mrs. Bill Mandrusiak, a son on Sept. 20.

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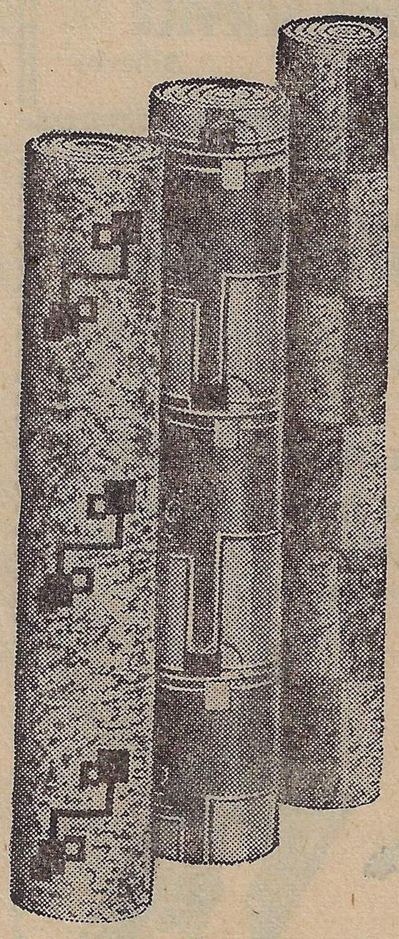
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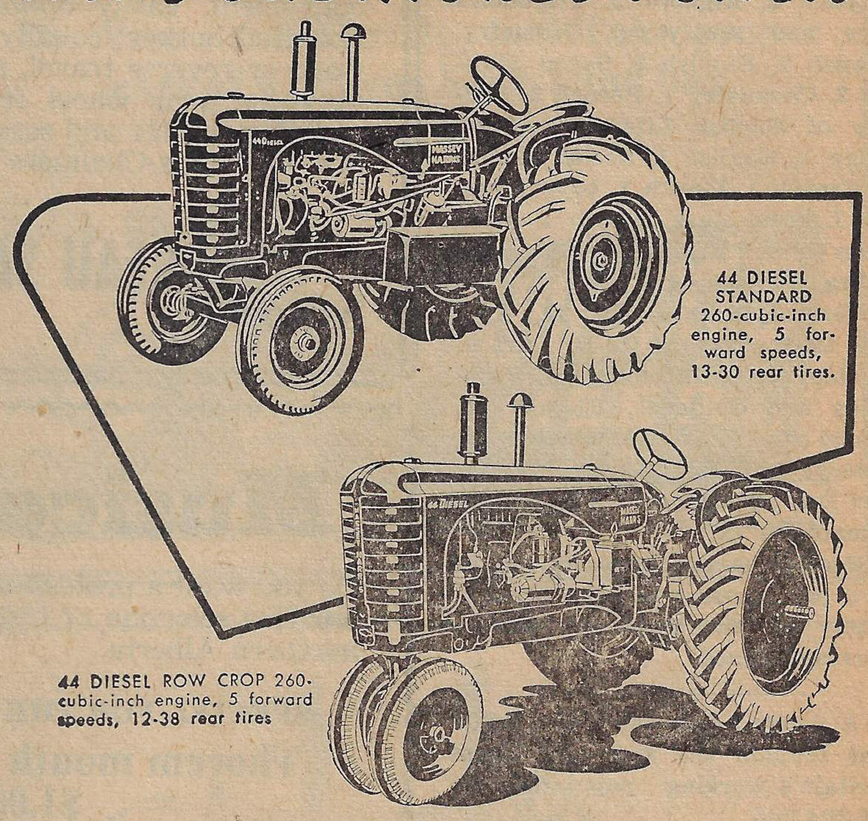
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REAL ESTATE

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Visits Veterans In Caslan District

CASLAN.— Mr. W. Robinson of Athabasca visited some of the veterans in the district last week.

Mr. Stepaniuk of Boyle was seen the district recently.

Miss Muriel Burg is back at home after an appendix operation in the Lac la Biche hospital.

Mrs. Steve Cherniwchan had her son Melvin in the Lac la Biche hospital for several days.

Mr. Charlie Smith was a caller in Caslan on Sunday.

Mr. J. Andrews is spending awhile in Edmonton.

Mrs. Slamko was visited by her eldest daughter and son-in-law from the coast.

Mr. Wililam Buchanan was visiting friends in the district.

Mrs. Walter Meyer and Mrs. Wm. Wolansky had their young sons in Lac la Biche for medical attention.

Mrs. A. Adasyznski and Richard have been visiting at Blue Jay.

Mrs. Giblak returned home from the city.

Roy Waselenchuk has started to schol at Noral.

Mr. A. Adaszynski makes frequent trips to Edmonton by truck.

Mrs. J. Krumpic spent last Sunday in Boyle.

Other visitors in Boyle during the past week included A. Gordon, R. Duckworth, T. Coulter, J. Sawka and A. Matushek.

Treshing has begun in the district and alphalfa buyers are noticed travelling around.

Smoke hangs heavy over this area, Some of the farmers have been fighting fires, trying to save their hay in the meadows, while others are trying to safeguard their buildings and fields.

Mr. Sam Johnston came back from the north country and is ill in the Lac la Biche hospital where his wife has been to visit him a couple of times recently.

Miss Evelyn Berg of Ellscott is supervising at the Caslan school and Miss Ann Zuk is supervising at the South Noral school.

Miss Ruth Matushek visited her parents here recently.

Miss Olga Prymych is visiting the Lukasik family.

Therese Tardif Weds N. Plamondon

LAC LA BICHE MISSION. — On Tuesday a beautiful wedding took place at Lac la Biche Mission when Therese Tardif, daughter of Mrs. Tardif exchanged vows with those of Noel Plamondon, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Plamondon.

The bride's brother gave her away. She chose for the occasion a floor-length sheer dress with matching veil.

Maid of honor was Miss Rita Gauthier, niece of the groom who looked prety in a floor length blue dress of sheer.

The best man was Mr. Louis Tardif, brother of the bride.

The bride caried a bouquet of white roses, as for Rita she chose white and pink carnations. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mrs. Tardif where dinner was served to approximately 45 guests.

Supper was served at the home of Mr .and Mrs. Ferdinand Plamondon. At night a lovely dance was given in the Plamondon community hall.

Outside visitors were Mr .and Mrs. Fred Tardif of Edmonton, also Mr. Emil Richard.

The newlyweds will be making their home in Trail, B.C. Our best wishes go out to them.

Mr .and Mrs. Edward Bosse have come back to live on their farm after spending almost three years at Mile 137.

Last week Plamondon was glad to receive the visit of Msgr. Loranger.

Over half the threshing is done and from what we hear the results aren't very satisfactory. Let us hope the prospects will announce for a better crop next year.

Mr. George Plamondon has finished the exterior if his new house in a lovely grey tone roll siding.

Mr. Rene Bourassa has purchased a new 1950 one-half ton Mercury truck.

Mr. Harald Belanger has started to construct a new garage.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herb Johnson, a son, Sept. 11. Congratulations.

Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth will open the Nurses' War Memorial Chapel in Westminster Abbey and unveil a memorial window, on November 2.

AVENIR TOPICS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perner Jr. have left to work at Kimberly, B.C. for the winter.

Mr. Lloyd Plamondon of Edmonton has made a business trip to Avenir lately.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Plamondon and son Lloyd have made a short visit to Lac la Biche recently.

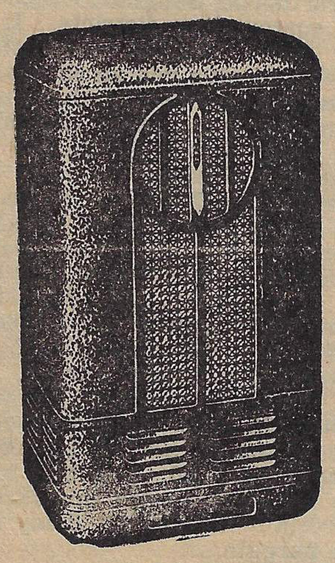
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Mr. and Mrs. Phillip L'Heureux and daughter Bernadette have left for Edmonton where Mrs. Phllip and Bernadette will receive medical treatment.

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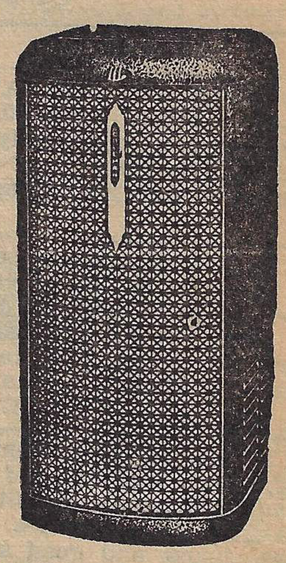


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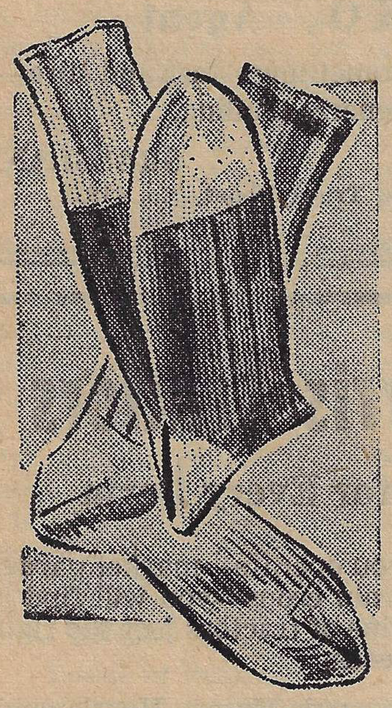


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